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COUNTRY INDIA USSR

REPORT NO. [REDACTED]

SUBJECT POSSIBLE PURCHASE OF AN-12's
AND MI-4's BY INDIA

DATE DISTR. 23 JULY 1963

PRECEDENCE ROUTINE

DATE OF INFO. JULY 1963

REFERENCES

IN 85149

PLACE &
DATE ACQ. [REDACTED]

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APPRAISAL [REDACTED]

FIELD REPORT NO. [REDACTED]

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SOURCE [REDACTED]

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AGREEMENT HAS BEEN REACHED WITH THE SOVIETS FOR INDIA TO ORDER TWELVE AN-12 TRANSPORTS AND TWENTY MI-4 HELICOPTERS. THE TOTAL COST OF THESE AIRCRAFT WILL BE RUPEES 20 CRORES [REDACTED] COMMENT: ABOUT FORTY MILLION DOLLARS U.S.). OF THIS COST, 18 CRORES WILL BE USED FOR PURCHASE OF THE AIRCRAFT AND 2 CRORES WILL BE USED FOR SPARE PARTS AND EXPENSES OF SOVIET TECHNICIANS WHO WILL ASSIST IN MAINTENANCE OF THE AIRCRAFT.

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2. [REDACTED] COMMENT: PRESUMABLY THIS AGREEMENT WAS REACHED AS A RESULT OF AIR VICE MARSHAL ENGINEER'S VISIT TO MOSCOW.)

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3. FIELD DISSEM: STATE ARMY NAVY AIR US MSMI CINCNELM CINCSOUTH
(PERSONAL).

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